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*Descriptive Inventory*

**FA 2     DOWELL, John Alan**

1box. 12 folders. 20 items. 1983-1984.  
 Originals, cassette tapes, typescripts and photographs.

1983.88.1

***COLLECTION NOTES***

This collection consists of materials compiled by John Alan Dowell for a project on George Morris Carter, a storyteller from Monroe County, Kentucky. Content consists chiefly of biographical data and stories exhibiting Carter's storytelling talent. Materials include interviews done by Dowell with Carter; a complete transcript of one Carter interview, cassette tapes of the interviews, tape summaries for the other interviews and a partial transcription for one. The collection also contains a glossary, bibliography, and photos relating to the interviews with Carver. This project was completed as a requirement for a folk studies class at Western Kentucky University in 1983.

***SHELF LIST***

<b>BOX 1</b>		<b>1983</b>	<b>20 items</b>
Folder 1	Inventory	1983	1 item
Folder 2	Transcription of interview with George M. Carter (cassettes 1-3). Biographical data and examples of stories exhibiting Carter's storytelling talent	1983	1 item
Folder 3	Tape summary of interview with George M. Carter (cassettes 4-5)	1983	1 item
Folder 4	Partial transcription and partial tape summary of interview with George M. Carter (cassettes 6-7)	1984	1 item

Folder 5	Glossary, bibliography, photos and other data relating to interviews with George Morris Carter	1983	9 items
Folder 6	Interview with George Morris Carter	1983	1 item
Folder 7	Interview with George Morris Carter	1983	1 item
Folder 8	Interview with George Morris Carter	1983	1 item
Folder 9	Interview with George Morris Carter	1983	1 item
Folder 10	Interview with George Morris Carter	1983	1 item
Folder 11	Interview with George Morris Carter	1984	1 item
Folder 12	Interview with George Morris Carter	1984	1 item

### ***BIBLIOGRAPHIC RECORD***

FA DOWELL, John Allan 1983-1984  
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Interviews conducted by John Alan Dowell with George M. Carter which provide biographical data about Carter and highlight his storytelling talent. Includes interviews with Carter on cassette tapes, transcriptions, tape summaries, glossary, bibliography and photographs.

1/2 box. 11 folders. 20 items. Cassette tapes, typescripts and photocopies.  
1983.88.1

### ***SUBJECT ANALYTICS***

Bowling Green Business University  
Carter family  
Carter, George Morris, b. 1919  
Carter, Helen Spivey  
County government – Monroe County  
Death  
Distilling, Illicit  
Exhibitions and fairs, 1955-1970  
Ginseng  
Herbs

Hill, J. Murray 1892?-1961 – Relating to  
 Hunting  
 Inaugurations – Presidents, 1953  
 Monroe County – Schools  
 Monroe County – Storytelling  
 Montell, William Lynwood, b. 1931 – Relating to  
 Old Mulkey Meeting House State Park  
 Physicians  
 Politics – Monroe County  
 Postal Service – Employees, 1953-1979  
 Radio broadcasting – Employees, 1967-1979  
 Radio programs  
 Snakes  
 Southern Railroad Company – Employees, 1945  
 Travel and description – Mexico, 1954  
 U.S. Army – 149<sup>th</sup> Infantry, 1941-1943  
 Vietnam War, 1961-1975 – Attitudes toward  
 WTKY (Tompkinsville)

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